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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re PATENT APPLICATION of ) Group Art Unit: 1614  
Kim et al ) Attorney Docket No. 205.7  
Serial No: 08/735,385 ) Examiner: Weddington, K.  
Filed: October 21, 1996 )  
Title: Piperidine Compounds )

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Patent and Trademark Office action mailed January 27, 1998. A request for a THREE MONTH extension of time is submitted herewith, whereby the time for response expires on July 27, 1998.

Claims 29, 38, and 50-51 are canceled and Claims 10-14, 18, 20, 25, 26, 30, 31, 34-37, 39, 42, 44, 47, 52 and 53 are amended in this response. Claims 1, 3-5, 10-28, 30-37, 39-49, 52, 53 and 55 remain after this response.

## Amendment

In view of the requirement for restriction/election, and under the protection of 35 U.S.C. §121, please cancel Claims 29, 38, and 50-51 without prejudice to Applicants' rights to pursue the canceled subject matter in divisional/continuation applications. Applicants apologize to the Examiner for not having observed that these Claims depend from Claim 2, a non-elected invention.

Please amend Claims 10-14, 18, 20, 25, 26, 30, 31, 34-37, 39, 42, 44, 47, 52<sup>and</sup> 53 as follows:

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**PATENT**

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For: PIPERIDINE COMPOUNDS

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

**STATUS**

2. Applicant is

- a small entity - verified statement:  
 attached.  
 already filed.  
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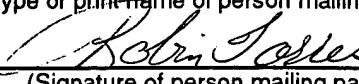
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## EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply

- (a)  Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17 (a)-(d)) for the total number of months checked below:

	Extension (months)	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$400.00	\$200.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$950.00	\$475.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,510.00	\$755.00

Fee \$ 950.00

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ \_\_\_\_\_

OR

- (b)  Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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## FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDT. FEE
TOTAL *	45	MINUS **	55 = 0	X11= \$
INDEP. *	1	MINUS ***	3 = 0	X41= \$
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+135= \$	+270= \$
			TOTAL ADDT. FEE \$	OR TOTAL ADDT. FEE \$

- (c)  No additional fee for claims is required.

OR

- (d)  Total additional fee for claims required \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## FEE PAYMENT

5.  Attached is a check in the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- Charge Account No. 07-1250 the sum of \$ 950.00

A duplicate of this request is attached.

## FEE DEFICIENCY

6. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

- The Commissioner is hereby authorized by this document to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 07-1250, except the issue fee at or before mailing of Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311 (b).

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